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Subject: Re: Congressional Control re: PWG/Ramazzini/Methanol from Vitter, Broun, Inhofe, and Harris

Thanks Lynn and John. I'll make the changes and clean up the letter as soon as I get in the office. Lynn - would you mind contacting John Bucher about this?

----- Original Message -----

From: Lynn Flowers
Sent: 02/07/2012 07:31 AM EST
To: John Vandenberg
Cc: Kathleen Deener; Vincent Cogliano; Debra Walsh; Stella Spyropoulos; Elizabeth Corona
Subject: Re: Congressional Control re: PWG/Ramazzini/Methanol from Vitter, Broun, Inhofe, and Harris

Kacee and John:

This is really good. I added just a couple of edits to John's. Two things that we need to think about---

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Lynn

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Kacee,
Great job. Some suggested edits here.
John

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Date: 02/06/2012 06:40 PM
Subject: Re: Congressional Control re: PWG/Ramazzini/Methanol from Vitter, Broun, Inhofe, and Harris

Attached is a draft response to this letter. Please review as soon as possible (by noon tomorrow). We need to put this in front of Becki by tomorrow evening or first thing Wednesday morning.

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Hi everyone,

I'm not sure which of you have already seen this, but I realized that I never circulated it formally to the group. I'm sorry I didn't circulate it sooner, I've just been so consumed with dioxin lately.

Attached is a control we received last week regarding the PWG/Ramazzini report from Congressmen Vitter, Broun, Inhofe, and Harris. They are requesting that we provide them:

- 1) a complete and unredacted copy of the report so they can review the PWG's findings
- 2) a summary of the weight of evidence placed on the Ramazzini Institute's work in the IRIS assessment for reference doses of methanol
- 3) an update on the status of EPA's position on whether to accept recent peer review of the non-cancer effects of methanol
- 4) a list of chemical assessments that include, or may include in the future, work performed at the Ramazzini Institute

This control has been assigned to NCEA in CMS for Paul's signature. The letter requests a response by 2/7, but according to CMS we have until COB 2/8 to upload our response.

I'm out of the office today, but I'll check in with everyone at the Roundtable tomorrow.

Sorry, again, for the delay.

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